

OCCUPATIONAL CATEGORY BY ADMINISTRATION

Permanent Employees

Snapshot - End of Fiscal Year 2002

Category		OST	USCG	FAA	FHWA	FMCS	A	FRA	SLSDC	FTA	NHTSA	RSPA	OIG	MARA	D	STB	BTS	TASC	TSA	DOT
Professional	#	96	1,023	4,403	1,368	32	83	12	140	225	398	147	140	50	41	29	164	8,351		
	%	18.3	17.2	8.1	47.4	3.2	11.1	7.9	27.3	33.8	42.7	31.6	17.0	38.8	33.9	11.4			8.3	
Administrative	#	357	1,775	45,659	923	849	595	34	320	335	363	285	363	69	62	172	1,125	53,286		
	%	67.9	29.8	83.7	32.0	86.1	79.8	22.5	62.5	50.3	39.0	61.3	44.2	53.5	51.2	67.7	3.6	52.7		
Technical	#	37	1,106	2,970	445	77	37	14	26	68	41	4	58	3	13	27	29,879	34,805		
	%	7.0	18.6	5.4	15.4	7.8	5.0	9.3	5.1	10.2	4.4	0.9	7.1	2.3	10.7	10.6	95.5	34.4		
Clerical	#	34	354	1,160	80	26	15	5	24	36	40	16	57	5	1	15	70	1,938		
	%	6.5	5.9	2.1	2.8	2.6	2.0	3.3	4.7	5.4	4.3	3.4	6.9	3.9	0.8	5.9	0.2	1.9		
Other	#	1	339	68	64	2	16	1	2	1	83	13	6	2	4	3	63	668		
	%	0.2	5.7	0.1	2.2	0.2	2.1	0.7	0.4	0.2	8.9	2.8	0.7	1.6	3.3	1.2	0.2	0.7		
Wage Grade	#	1	1,363	321	5	0	0	85	0	1	6	0	198	0	0	8	0	1,988		
	%	0.2	22.9	0.6	0.2	0.0	0.0	56.3	0.0	0.2	0.6	0.0	24.1	0.0	0.0	3.1	0.0	2.0		
Total	#	526	5,960	54,581	2,885	986	746	151	512	666	931	465	822	129	121	254	31,301	101,036		
	%	0.5	5.9	54.0	2.9	1.0	0.7	0.1	0.5	0.7	0.9	0.5	0.8	0.1	0.1	0.3	31.0	100.0		

The definitions listed below, as determined by the U.S. Office of Personnel Management, describe how positions are classified in each occupational category.

PROFESSIONAL: Work that requires knowledge in a field of science or learning characteristically acquired through education or training equivalent to a bachelors' or higher degree in a specialized subject. Examples include Civil, Electrical or Electronics Engineers; Auditor, Accountant and Attorney.

ADMINISTRATIVE: Work involving the exercise of analytical ability, judgment and knowledge applicable to one or more fields of administration or management. Skills are typically gained through college level general education or through progressively responsible experience. Examples include Air Traffic Controller; Aviation, Railroad, Motor Carrier and Highway Safety Inspector; Computer Specialist; Administrative Officer and Budget Analyst.

TECHNICAL: Work associated with and supportive of a professional or administrative field. Work is non-routine and involves extensive practical knowledge gained through on-the-job experience and/or training less than represented by college graduation. Examples include Electronics Technician; Air Traffic Assistant; Engineering Technician, Computer Operator, and baggage screener.

CLERICAL: Work in support of office, business or fiscal operations which is performed in accordance with established policies, procedures or techniques. Examples include Secretary, Clerk-Typist and Payroll Clerk.

OTHER: Work that cannot be directly related to the above categories.